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Serial No.: 08/844,215

Art Unit: 1631

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HEPATITIS C VIRUS (HCV) E2 ANTIGEN

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Transmitted herewith for filing is a Supplemental Amendment in the above patent application in response to the Advisory Action of June 20, 2003.

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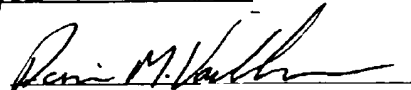
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This Supplemental Amendment addresses issues presented in the Advisory Action mailed June 20, 2003. Applicants thank Examiner Clow and Examiner Zeman for agreeing to consider this Amendment. Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.